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Pajamas.BY TELEGRAPH.
TURKS ARE DRIVEN BACK
The Greeks Rout Them and Are Now Threat-
ening Turkish Main Army. Turkey
Assumes That War Is Declared.

[Special dispatch to the Transcript.]

Larissa, April 14.—Actual war is now
proceeding, though not formally declared.
This will probably follow within a few
hours now.The Turkish government has formally
informed the Greek government that any
further raid of irregulars into Turkish
territory will be regarded by Turkey as a
declaration of war. Today such further
raids have been progressing, and Turkey
will have to assume that war has been de-
clared.The Greek irregulars have now cap-
tured the stronghold of Balino in Ma-
cedonia after severe fighting. Forty of the
Turks were killed and the Greeks and in-
surgents occupy a strong position. The
Turks have tried to drive them from it
but have been signally repulsed with se-
vere loss.The Greeks then assumed the offensive
and cut up a whole Turkish detachment,captured a number of Turkish soldiers, a
convoy of provisions, a large amount of
ammunition and army mules.
After this success the Greeks advanced to
the neighboring town of Kipuri. Later
dispatches today state that the Greeks
have passed Kipuri, driving the Turks be-
fore them and pushing on toward Gre-
vena.Fresh troops are arriving here, and the
enthusiasm is unabated. There is every
preparation making for the formal de-
claration of war and there will be a feel-
ing of relief when open hostilities are for-
mally declared.London, April 14.—A special dispatch
from Salonica, the Turkish base of opera-
tions, says that the Greek irregulars have
succeeded in advancing as far as Grevena.
They are rallying the population to their
cause and are threatening the communi-
cations between the Turkish armies at
Elasna and Janina.

NEW MINISTER TO TURKEY.

President Sends a Special Message to
Congress Today.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

Washington, April 14.—The president
today nominated James D. Angell of
Michigan as envoy and minister to Tur-
key. Mr. Angell is a member of the
secretary of the State Department.
The president today sent a message to
Congress urging it to make suitable pro-
vision for adequate representation of the
United States at the Paris Exposition.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Colonel D. C. Forney, a celebrated
newspaper correspondent during the
war, died at Lebanon, Pa., aged 79
years.The Greater New York bill has now
passed both branches of the New York
legislature over the veto of Mayor
Strong.A deed was placed on file in Kansas
City, Kan., conveying to William J.
Ivanc nearly one-half of the city of Ar-
gentine, a manufacturing suburb.The National Bank of the Republic
of St. Louis has been absorbed by the
Merchants-Laclede bank. President
Rullen of the National Bank of the Re-
public died two weeks ago.Paul Gens and John Mackin were
hanged at the Indiana county jail in
Jersey City. The former killed Clara
Arnim, his sweetheart, on Aug. 23, 1884,
and the latter killed his wife and moth-
er-in-law on Feb. 27, 1886.James Charles, night watchman at
the Allegheny Heating company's
plant, Pittsburgh, and John Steele were
found dead in the regulating house. It
is supposed that they were asphyxiated
by an explosion of natural gas.

Citizens Fight Bank Robbers.

Chicago, April 14.—At Wilson, a small
town on the Chicago and Eastern Illi-
nois railroad, a posse of 25 citizens
fought a pitched battle with three
robbers. About 3 o'clock at night the
town watchman, while making his
rounds, saw two men at work on the
safe in the town bank, while another
stood outside. The officer at once
aroused as many citizens as possible.
The robbers meantime decamped,
leaving their tools scattered about the
bank. The posse started in pursuit and,
coming in sight of the trio, opened fire,
which was instantly returned. Soon
one of the robbers fell, but he arose, and
the three desperadoes plunged into the
nearby wood. Later two of the robbers
were seen skulking from a freight train
at Dalton, several miles north. It is
supposed the third man is either dead
or hiding, badly wounded, in the woods.

Century's Case to Be Considered.

Harrisburg, April 14.—A special meet-
ing of the board of appeals in the ap-
peal case of Dr. Joseph J. Luis, con-
victed in the United States court some
days ago of conspiring to send a fil-
listering expedition to Cuba. The ap-
peals are being made ready to send to
the higher courts. They will be for-
warded as soon as possible. It is now
stated that the case will first go to the
circuit court of appeals, and not to the
United States supreme court, as origi-
nally intended.

New Trial For Fillmore.

Baltimore, April 14.—Judge Morris
signed the bill of exceptions in the ap-
peal case of Dr. Joseph J. Luis, con-
victed in the United States court some
days ago of conspiring to send a fil-
listering expedition to Cuba. The ap-
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nally intended.

Local News!

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Father Mathew
Ladies' Aid society at their home Thurs-
day evening at 7:30 o'clock. To complete
the arrangements for the supper to be
served at the Father Mathew Easter Mon-
day ball. A full attendance is requested.

Local News!

Glam-Bake Bills Settled.

F. A. Macomber and R. W. Irwin, re-
sidents of the defunct Odd Fellows pen-
sion association, which was born and died
on that eventful day at Laurel Park three
years ago, when the memorable clam-
bake was held without any claims—have
made their final report, and the affairs
have been settled. At the time of the
bake the members of Nonotuck lodge of
Northampton "chipped in" \$325. When
the bills were all in it was found that
there remained an indebtedness of about
\$617. Then Messrs. Macomber and Irwin,
members of the Springfield lodge, were
appointed receivers, as it were, of the de-
funct picnic association. They made a
tour of the various neighboring lodges,
and were successful in collecting \$253, the
lodgees responding to their solicitations as
follows: De Soto, \$37; Hampden, \$108 both
of Springfield; Pocumtuck of Greenfield,
\$11; Great Barrington, \$8; Hoosac Valley
of Adams, \$13; Oneida of this city, \$14; St.
John of Chicopee, \$22; Chicopee of Chicopee,
\$8; Ware lodge, \$11. The claims are
now settled, and another "bake" is in
order.

Offerings of the Merchants.

Julian & Canavally have opened a very
neat fruit and confectionery store at 3
Bank street. Their stock is fresh and
they deserve a call.Balderson's city market is offering an
Basket sale of 2,000 pounds of hams at 10
cents.The Boston store, W. J. Taylor, is at
the front with some very attractive ap-
pliances.The Berkshire Cycle Co., continues to
push the Wolf-American bicycles. No
cyclist is disappointed who uses one of
these wheels.Merchants who want you to come in
their stores will invite you to do so. You
may always be sure of a welcome in a
store which advertises. The advertise-
ment is the invitation.Arnold, the coal man, has a new ad.
Read it.Saturday is bargain day at McNeill's
Eagle street. See his offerings.

At Full Speed Standing Still.

The concussion from an explosion of
gas caused the throttle of engine No. 161
to fly upon in the Boston & Albany
round house Monday. The engine backed
against the building block and could go no
farther. The drive wheels began to slip
on the greasy rails, thus giving the en-
gine a chance to use its steam. Then be-
gan what might be expected by a locomot-
ive going at full speed standing still. The
rails became hot and holes one-half
inch deep were worn in them. The explo-
sion was caused by a too closely banked
fire. The wild engine was stopped by a
Pittsburg railroad engineer.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Helen I. Joyce is ill at her home
on Franklin street.Miss Joie Costello has been transferred
from the State street school to the Union
street school.Mrs. T. McGinn of Conway is visiting
at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Kelly of Franklin street.Jacob Yantis of River street is in Phila-
delphia for a three weeks visit with
friends.Miss Pauline Russell of Church street
arrived Tuesday evening from Miss
Capen's school in Northampton for the
Easter vacation.Miss Mary E. Thayer is visiting friends
at Lexington.Mrs. Robert B. Harris of Marietta
street returned Tuesday from a seven
weeks' visit in Boston and vicinity.B. B. Fitch of Wilmington, Vt., is the
guest of Dr. M. M. Brown of this city.Dr. G. L. Rice has returned from a three
months' trip through the South and
West.BY TELEGRAPH
A FIEND'S AWFUL WORK
Worst Crime in the History of Rhode Island
Committed This Morning. The
Probable Perpetrator Caught.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

Pascoag, R. I., April 14.—What will
probably prove to be the most
horrible tragedy in this state's history
was discovered this morning and has
shocked and enraged the whole com-
munity. The scene of the awful occur-
rence is at Oakland, a small village near
here inhabited by farmer people.At daybreak this morning the farm
buildings occupied by Edward Reynolds
and family, highly respectable people,
were destroyed by fire and left a heap of
ruins. In these ruins two charred bodies
were found. Circumstantial evidence at
once pointed to a foul murder and them
arrested as a means of concealing the deed.The body of Mrs. Reynolds, all hacked
and cut, was taken from a blood-soaked
bed by those who first discovered the fire.
Blood stains and traces of kerosene werefound in the room, before the fire reached
it.The two charred bodies were later iden-
tified as those of Mr. Reynolds and his
twenty-year-old daughter. Suspicion at
once fell upon a man named Mowry who
had been boarding at the Reynolds' home.Immediately all the officers of this sec-
tion were summoned, riders started in all
directions and a thorough scouring of the
country began. Before noon today the
man Mowry was found hiding in a barn
near Harrisville a few miles distant and
he was hurried to jail.The purpose of the murder was not
robbery, as Mr. Reynolds had hidden money
in his house. Suspicion points to a will
worse purpose directed against the
daughter. The community is worked up
to the highest pitch, as the horror could
be no worse. Only a fiend could have
committed the crime.

A CLEVER SWINDLER.

The Pinkertons Capture One Who
Has Some New Methods.

HE RAISES DRAFTS AND CHECKS.

Uses Legitimately Signed Checks, Which
He Raises From Small to Large
Sums by Adding a Num-
ber of Zeros.New York, April 14.—In the arrest of
C. T. Moore, alias Hendricks, Fenton,
Hudson, Howard, Hard, etc., by the
Pinkertons, at Jamestown, N. Y., the
banking fraternity are rid for a time
at least, of a very clever swindler.The arrest was made at the instance
of the American Bankers' association.The swindler's method has been to
purchase from banks drafts for
amounts under \$20, and by erasing
and forging raise them to the same
amount of hundreds of dollars. He se-
lects a city or town in which to op-
erate, usually not far distant from the
place where the draft was is-
sued, seemingly appreciating the fact
that the bank officer's signature would
be known, thereby making the swindle
more possible.Arriving there, he calls at the office
of a building and loan association and
claims to be the secretary or treasurer
of that town—usually selecting the name
of a railroad engineer, from a tele-
graph operator—and stating that the
family estate has just been settled, his
share being \$700, \$800 or \$900, men-
tioning the amount on the raised draft in
his possession, and that the relative he
named as living in the town has sug-
gested to him that he invest a portion
of the money bequeathed to him in the
building and loan association.

How He Made Himself Solid.

This conversation usually results in
the association agreeing to sell his \$400
or \$500 of his share. When the stock
is delivered to him, the swindler pays
for it with the raised draft, receiving
either a check or a local bank or cash
in change and immediately decamps.
The forged note being discovered until
the raised draft arrives at the bank
originally issuing it for a small amount.Several of these raised drafts were
used in New York banks. One drawn
\$8 by the First National bank of Con-
necticut, O. on the United States National
bank of this city, was raised to \$800.Two raised drafts on the Chase Na-
tional bank of this city were passed.
One was raised from \$2.08 to \$294.80 and
the other from \$2.12 to \$352.12. In his
possession when captured was a draft
on the Third National bank of New
York, which had been raised from \$5 to
\$500.In a confession, which was received by
General Superintendent Banks of the
Pinkertons agency this morning, the
swindler states that his forged outfit
was purchased from a stranger in the
American hotel at Cleveland, for \$20.
He practiced until proficient and then
started out on a swindling trip in 1894,
which netted him \$4,000.The man claims to be in the real-estate
business in Cleveland and to be the
president of the United States Fuel
Economizer company of 1,006 Woodland
avenue, Cleveland.Since he has been operating, building
and loan associations and banks have
lost over \$20,000 as the result of his
swindles.

Strange Tragedy in Massachusetts.

South Weymouth, Mass., April 14.—
Miss Lottin Bates, 17 years of age, was
found dead in her home, with a bullet
through her heart. She had evidently
been instantly killed. She was found
sitting in a chair near the window, and
on a table about three feet distant was
a revolver pointed directly at her. By
the side of the revolver on the table
was found a card, upon which was writ-
ten some sentences in what appeared to
be two different handwritings. Search
was made of the neighborhood, and two
tramps were arrested on suspicion of
having committed the crime. The au-
thorities are at a loss to decide whether
it is a case of murder or suicide.

Princeton's New Librarian.

Princeton, N. J., April 14.—Junius S.
Morgan of New York has accepted the
appointment to the position of asso-
ciate librarian of Princeton University
library. Mr. Morgan is a member of the
firm of Cuyler, Morgan & Co. of New
York. He will make Princeton his place
of residence.How's Your
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neck apparel than the man,"
and that's why it is a great
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and most becoming neckties at
our low figures than go to the
expense of paying more for
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Two special lots of Kid Gloves away below our regular prices. 50c a pair for those formerly sold at 69c and 50c; the second lot will be 75c a pair for those formerly sold at 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50, not all sizes but you may be lucky enough to find your size. If you are a sure and buy.
Special lot, all sizes, imported to sell at \$1.25, but we will let them go at 95c a pair.

Laces at Special Prices.
Special lot of Cream and Butter Color laces at 10, 15, 20 and 25c a yard.
Special lot of Lace Collars, Holero effect 95c each.
Special lot of Lace Bolero Jackets 95c each.
Lace Neckwear of every description 50c to \$2.00 each.
Lace Laces from 1 to 2 yard up.
Linen Towel Laces, the biggest value ever offered, 20c a yard.
Specials in Handkerchiefs.
All Linen. Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 10c a yard, 10 and 15c each, your choice while they last 10c each.
New Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs 15c each were 25c.
Special lot of Ladies and Gents' Handkerchiefs 5c each.

Specials in Ribbons.
All Silk Ribbons No 5 will be 4c a yard, No 7 will be 5c a yard, No 9 will be 6c a yard, No 12 will be 10c a yard, No 16 will be 15c a yard. Special lot No 60 Moire and Fancy 35c a yard, 10c a yard, all Silk Taffeta Ribbon will be 15c a yard for No 12, all Silk Taffeta Ribbon will be 20c a yard for No 16. Big lot of Fancy Ribbons Nos 30, 40 and 50 choice 25c a yard. Special lot No 30 all Silk Moire 1 ribbon 15c a yard.

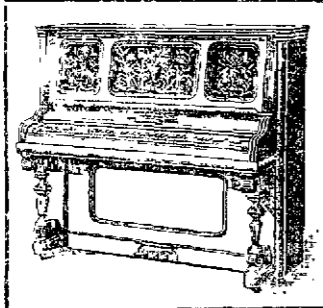
Specials in Neckwear.
One lot 4 1/2 and 5 1/2 inch Silk Windsor Ties, your choice for 25c, former prices 35c to 50c each.
White Lawn Bow ties 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c and 50c each.
Black and color Silk or Satin Bows 15 and 25c each.
Fancy Ties 25c to 50c.

Specials in Embroideries.
One lot Swiss Embroidery 9c a yard, former price 15c.
Other lots 10c, 12c, 14c, 15c, 16c, 18c and 19c a yard, in every case just half-price.
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New This Week.
A great variety will be shown at the above prices. Make no mistake, you save money on every article purchased at our Bargain Counter.

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Chamois Bag, 10, 15, 25 and 30c each, all new and the latest styles.
Pocket Books, all the new leathers, 25c to 50c each.
25 small Purses for the little ones 10c each.
Leather Belts 10 to 50c each, all the latest styles.
Tinsel Belts, a special lot 25c each.

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It is a fine Kurtzmann make and for a few weeks more a ticket will be given with every dollar paid at J. H. CODY'S store, whether paid on account or on a new cash purchase. This offer will not be open long, so you had better hurry to buy what you want in the line of House Furnishings at the store where values are best and prices lowest, with a piano ticket thrown in with every dollar you spend.



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A SAD FATALITY

Williams College Ball Team Pitcher Comes to an Untimely End.

DEATH THE RESULT OF ACCIDENT.

Side Seriously Injured While Playing a Practice Game. The End Comes Unexpectedly. Full Particulars of the Unfortunate Affair.

The people of Williamstown, and particularly the faculty and students of Williams college, were painfully shocked Tuesday afternoon by the announcement of the death of Ernest J. Cory, pitcher of the college baseball team, briefly reported in this paper yesterday. The news was so wholly unexpected that at first no one could accept it as true, but the sad fact was soon established and the knowledge cast a gloom over the village such as has not been experienced before for a long time.

The circumstances of the young man's death are extremely sad. He had been afflicted with tuberculosis for a considerable time and was still under the treatment of a physician. He was, however, attending to his college duties as usual and felt able to practice on the ball field, although his instructors and some of his fellow students had warned him that in his condition he should exercise great care. His reply was that he had been told that vigorous exercise would be beneficial to him; and he was enough of a baseball enthusiast to readily accept that view of the case.

Monday afternoon the team was playing its regular daily practice game when Mr. Cory, while at the bat, was struck in the left temple by a pitched ball and fell to the ground. He did not wholly lose consciousness, and soon rallied and resumed play. Later in the game while sliding for a base his left side came in contact with the baseman's knee and he was painfully hurt, but neither he nor any one else supposed the injury to be serious. Mr. Cory gave his side a few vigorous rubs and went on with the game as though nothing had happened, and played to the finish, pitching five innings after the accident.

At the close of the game the young man found himself in a very uncomfortable condition, but had no idea that he was dangerously hurt. After supper his condition was such that he was advised to go to the college infirmary, and he walked to that place, arriving between 8 and 9 o'clock. Dr. Olds was called. He found no bones broken, and after prescribing for the patient and leaving directions to his care he left him for the night. Mr. Cory suffered extreme and constant pain, and at 3 o'clock in the morning his condition was such that the doctor was sent for. A hypodermic injection of morphine quieted the patient for a time, but the pain returned in a few hours with all its intensity. At 11 o'clock in the forenoon the doctor called again and another hypodermic injection was administered. By this time it was evident that the young man's condition was serious and the doctor recommended that the parents be notified, although death, at least so soon, was not anticipated.

About 1 o'clock in the afternoon a decided change took place. The patient suddenly became unconscious, and he failed to respond to the restoratives applied by Mr. and Mrs. Brock, who are in charge of the infirmary, and who are faithful in the discharge of their responsible duties. A messenger was dispatched for medical aid and Dr. Woodbridge was soon at the house. He was followed quickly by Dr. Olds. Respiration had ceased before they arrived and their most vigorous efforts to restore it were futile. Death had ensued before either doctor reached the house.

The news spread rapidly through the village, but as before stated, the people could not credit it at first. The end was so sudden and altogether unexpected that no one was prepared for the sad intelligence. But verification came all too soon and a feeling of the deepest depression settled down upon all who heard the unwelcome news. The letter which had been mailed but a short time before to notify the young man's parents of their son's illness was passed by a telegram bearing the painful announcement of his death.

Medical Examiner Brown of this city was notified. He went at once to Williamstown, and, assisted by Drs. Olds and Woodbridge, made an autopsy. The cause of death was found to be internal hemorrhage resulting from a rupture of the spleen. The blow received on the head previous to the injury to his side had no part in causing the young man's death.

In response to the telegram Mr. Cory's parents hastened to Williamstown, arriving on the 2:30 train. They were met by sympathetic professors and their wives, and student friends of their son, who volunteered every kindly service and offered consolation in every form to the stricken father and mother, whose only child the young man was.

Mr. Cory was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cory of Bustirk's Bridge, N. Y., in which town he was born and reared. He would have been 21 years old next June. He prepared for college at Lansingburgh, N. Y., academy and entered Williams three years ago in the class of '98. He was fond of athletics and soon became

deeply interested in both baseball and football. He was a splendid specimen of physical manhood, being six feet tall and well proportioned, and until his recent illness his strength was proportionate to his size. He possessed a gentle and friendly disposition and won a host of friends among the college boys, to many of whom his death is almost like that of a brother. For the past year or two he had developed rapidly as a pitcher, which position he was to have held this year on the varsity team, and his death is a very serious loss to the team aside from all feelings of personal regard.

The death of Mr. Cory is the third in the class of '98, which is an unusual record. Mr. Street of Lee, a member of the football team, was killed in a railroad crossing accident at Southbridge in the fall of 1921 while the team was on its way to the grounds where it was to engage in a game, and Mr. Penneyer, the son of Governor Penneyer of Oregon, died in Williamstown at about the same time of typhoid fever. The class of '98 will have some sad recollections in connection with its memories of life at Williams.

After the autopsy at the infirmary Tuesday afternoon the remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Hopkins of Williamstown. Appropriate services were held in the college chapel at 13 o'clock today. Prof. John Hewitt officiating, after which the remains were taken to Bustirk's Bridge, where the funeral will be attended Thursday afternoon. The bearers will be members of the class of '98, and it is probable that many of the class will attend the funeral.

A CIVIL SUIT

Brought by a Building Firm Against Dr. Wallace E. Brown.

A suit brought by the contracting firm of Easton, Rising and Worden of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., against Dr. Wallace E. Brown of this city was begun in the district court room Tuesday before Judge Blum of Pittsfield as auditor. The firm built the Berkshire Hills sanatorium and placed a lien on the building, and the suit is to recover the amount claimed to be due them, which is a number of thousands of dollars. E. Proctor Thayer of this city and Lawyer Wood of Pittsfield represent the firm and Lawyers Parkhurst and Couch are counsel for Dr. Brown. The case was resumed today.

This Evening's Services.

At St. John's church, Rev. Mr. Sedgwick of Williamstown will speak at 7:30 o'clock.

Confessions will be heard at St. Francis' church. At 8 o'clock Thursday morning solemn high mass and procession of the blessed sacrament.

Rev. W. L. Tenney will preach at the Universalist church on the fourth word from the cross—My God, My God, Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me?

BLACKINTON.

Presented With a Clock.

Prof. M. W. Thomas was invited to attend a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. society in their rooms Monday evening at 7 o'clock, and was completely surprised when President Edward J. Hughes, after calling the meeting to order, in a few well chosen words presented Mr. Thomas with an elegant onyx finished clock. Mr. Hughes said that the society always found Mr. Thomas ready to render any assistance and in consideration the society wished to show their appreciation and hoped Mr. Thomas would accept the clock as a slight token of their esteem. Mr. Thomas responded in a very feeling manner and assured the society that he appreciated the gift and would greatly cherish it, coming in the manner that it did. The rest of the evening was spent in social chat and speech making. The speech of the evening was made by Gideon F. Wats.

CHESHIRE.

Mrs. Joseph Campbell.

Elizabeth, aged 60 years, wife of Joseph Campbell, died at her home Monday night of pneumonia after a week's illness. The deceased was highly esteemed and during her residence of 32 years in town had made many friends. She is survived by a husband, three sons, Walter of Ridgeway, Mich., Will of Fort Collins, Col., George of this town, one daughter, Mrs. Jennie Millard of North Adams, two brothers, Frank and William George of Blackinton and two sisters, Mrs. Eliza Fallon of Williamstown and Mrs. Luther Wood of Dalton. The funeral will take place from her late home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The bans of marriage were published Sunday at the church of the Assumption for the first time between John Driscoll of Adams and Della Cullen of this town.

The Young Men's Literary society met with Ralph Getman Monday evening. A debate was held on the following subject: "Resolved, that the tramp law should be enforced." Rev. G. E. Whitehouse was leader on the affirmative side and Jabez Jenks took the negative side of the question. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative by weight of argument. The next meeting of the society will be with Rev. G. E. Whitehouse.

W. W. Fisk has returned from Washington, D. C., where he has been for several months.

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BOARD OF TRADE

Directors Held a Special Meeting Tuesday Evening. What Was Done.

NEW COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Arrangements for the Annual Banquet Will Be Completed at Once. To Confer With the Health Shoe Company.

At the special meeting of the directors of the board of trade Tuesday evening, President Richmond announced the following committees appointments:
Ways and Means—A. C. Houghton, W. W. Butler, W. H. Gaylord, J. W. Hardenbergh, H. T. Cady, H. E. Wetherbee, P. J. Ashe, A. B. Wright, V. A. Whitaker.
Transportation—W. A. Gallup, H. W. Clark, N. L. Millard, T. W. Sykes, Samuel Gully, A. C. Weber, James D. Hunter, C. O. Isbell, J. M. Canady.

Good Roads—Dr. G. F. Simmon, James B. Hunter, John Emigh, C. H. Hubbard, Frank B. Locke.

The directors voted to confirm the appointments and to accept the names presented for membership. It was also voted that the entertainment committee should have charge of the entire arrangements for the annual banquet except the securing of speakers, which will be in the hands of the president and the directors. The matter of conferring with the Health Shoe company to endeavor to have the new industry located in this city was left with the committee on new enterprises.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

A meeting of the Y. M. C. A. directors will be held this evening.

The new police have ordered their dress uniforms of P. J. Boland.

The Independent cadets of Eagle street held their first drill Tuesday evening.

An afternoon tea is given today by Mrs. William Armstrong in honor of Mrs. M. A. McConnell of Pittsburg.

A meeting of the fire department will be held in the rooms of Hose 2 on Centre street this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

A number of the members of the local Knights of Columbus will attend a meeting of the Glens Falls, N. Y., order Monday evening.

Owing to the death of Ernest J. Cory, the concert of the Star Orchestral club, which was to have been given at Williams town Thursday night, is indefinitely postponed.

Peter Harrington and Claudius Bradford have deserted the meat business for this one afternoon, and are trying to catch the elusive trout up at the Red Mills. Stories tomorrow.

Dr. J. J. P. McLaughlin has been complimented by being invited to read a paper before the annual meeting of the state dental association to be held in Boston the first week in June.

At the Salvation Army barracks tonight, Staff Captain and Miss Hargroves will speak in the interest of children's work and will also give a stereoscopic exhibition. Admission 10 cents.

A regular meeting of the board of health was held Tuesday evening. The chairman of the board and the inspector of plumbing examined two applicants for plumbers' licenses, one a journeyman's and the other a master plumber's.

The horses on one of the city teams became frightened at an electric car Tuesday afternoon while passing the State street bridge and the wagon came in contact with the bridge, resulting in the loss of a wheel. The horses were stopped before any further damage was done.

Home from the South.

F. J. Lyon arrived home Monday from the South after an absence of six months, most of which time he spent at Clearing, Florida. Mr. Lyon passed the winter pleasantly and his health was much benefited. He has many interesting stories to tell about life in the Sunny South, with its oranges and alligators and various other attractions for visitors from the North. Mr. Lyon's many friends are glad to see him again in such good health, and he is also pleased to be once more with those friends and among the old Berkshire hills.

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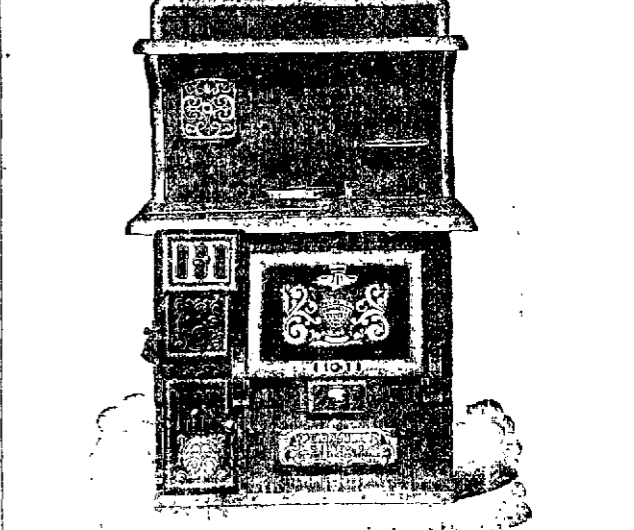
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